


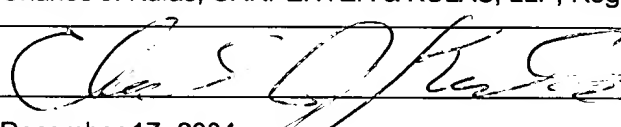
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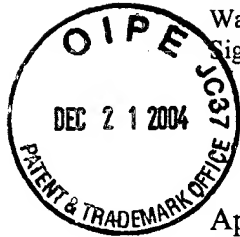
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### AMENDMENT

Examiner:

In response to the Office Communication mailed October 6, 2004, Applicant is submitting this Amendment.

**Amendments to the Specification:** None.

**Amendments to the Claims:** Begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** None

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.